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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am writing to voice my concerns on the petitions by USTelecom to dismantle key components of the 1996 Telecommunications Act.

I am residential Sonic consumer, as many of friends and co-workers. Sonic provides a high quality service and a very competitive pricing, along with great US-based customer service.

I don't believe it is possible for smaller carriers, such as Sonic and others, to exist without the 1996 Telecommunications Act. Please do not cut off these providers' competitive access to unbundled copper and inter-city fiber transport elements (UNEs).

Competition is always good for the consumers!

Thank you.

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